

CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
B.S.A.

DATE April 14, 1966

Full Name ROLLOFF, GARY FREDERICK
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

Address 5027 Emerson Avenue North

City Minneapolis State Minnesota

Born in Mankato, Minn.

Age 27 (DOB 5/28/39) (This is important and should be exact)

Approximate age _____ (To be used ONLY when exact age is not known)

Religion Lutheran Nationality _____

10/65-2/66

Occupation Admin. Asst., Bethesda Hosp.; Night Mgr.; Northgate East Western Motel

Education Grad. 1961 from St. Olaf's, Northfield, Minn.

Weight 205 Color W Height 5'11"

Color of hair _____ Color of eyes _____

Outstanding characteristics or interests _____

Married or single Single Children _____
(Number, ages, and names, if possible)

Wife's name _____

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

<u>Unit #</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Office</u>	<u>Date Reg'd.</u>	<u>Date resigned</u>
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Was dismissed from 274th NTS.

Special recognition _____

Recommended for Confidential File for following reasons:

Admitted homosexual. Suicidal tendencies...

Signed _____
Scout Executive



BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA - NATIONAL TRAINING SCHOOL

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FOR INTRA-ORGANIZATION COMMUNICATION

C O N F I D E N T I A L

April 11, 1966

MEMO TO: File

FROM: Donald Fifield

SUBJECT: Circumstances Surrounding the Dismissal from the
274th National Training School of Gary Rolloff

Homosexual tendencies were indicated about 2:00 a.m. Saturday, April 9. By 7:30 a.m. Gary Rolloff informed me (in the presence of the Assistant Manager, Robert Somers) that he is in fact a homosexual and has had the problem for a long time. (He later indicated twenty years.)

We counselled Gary on the importance of seeking professional help and we did our best to encourage him and prevent the dangers of complete despondency.

We also, of course, accepted his resignation from the National Training School and took care of the necessary arrangements for disposal of his uniform and literature - specifically we agreed to attempt to sell his uniform and forward funds to him. It was agreed any refund of fee will be sent to the Quinnipiac Council at Hamden.

We also emphasized the importance of his staying completely away from Scouting and similar organizations in any capacity.

More on Our Interview:

Gary indicated that several years ago he made up his mind to stay out of Scouting but he "listened to the wrong voices".

At 8:00 a.m. Gary checked out to drive to New Haven.

He contacted Glenn Beck at the Region I Office about 9:00 Saturday morning who agreed to contact Bob Birkemeier his employing Scout executive.

As it later developed he drove to New Haven, spent the afternoon with and stayed at the home of a field director of the Quinnipiac Council and was in touch with Bob Birkemeier.

*4/12/66
L. J. Beck
to be kept confidential
It would be best
any further info
WJH*

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During Saturday evening he was quite despondent - even mentioned the possibility of suicide and was at times somewhat irrational. He did, however, apparently have a good rest Saturday night and with his own \$10.00 and \$50.00 that the field director raised for him he started out for Minnesota, his home state, at 6:00 Easter Sunday morning.

At approximately 11:00 the Connells, on their way to church, discovered Mr. Rolloff in Lake Therese. He had parked his car in his usual parking place by Cottage Four and had apparently taken a boat to the middle of the lake, stored the oars and jumped over fully dressed. Mr. Connell walked to the edge of the water and ordered him in to shore and Mr. Rolloff obeyed.

He was then taken by the Assistant Manager and Trading Post Manager to the Morristown Memorial Hospital and placed him in a special care ward where at this time he is still under treatment. He appears physically well and reasonably rational but is receiving psychiatric attention and will not be released until Schiff Scout Reservation is notified.

On Sunday I had several conversations with Bob Birkemeier who spent most of the day with his field director and together they contacted Bruce Dale Rolloff at Morris, Minnesota, Gary's brother, who has agreed to take responsibility. Bruce Rolloff is the manager of a small radio station in Morris and plans to contact the hospital and fly to New Jersey to accompany Gary to Minnesota when this move appears feasible.

Donald Fifield
Donald Fifield - cl

*Mr. G. Lyon read this memo
on 4/12/68. He also called Birkemeier.
Another memo may be duplicated. Birkemeier
will write the details to us.*

HEALTH EXAMINATION REPORT

TO BE SUBMITTED BY CANDIDATES FOR THE PROFESSIONAL SERVICE
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

STATEMENT OF INDIVIDUAL

1. Name Gary Frederick Rolloff Birth date May 28, 1939 Age 26
Address 5027 Emerson Avenue North Minneapolis 55430 Minnesota
City and Zone State
2. Single ☒ Married ☐ Widower ☐ Separated ☐ Divorced ☐
3. Any considerable change in weight in past two years? No Reason None
4. Is your digestion good? Yes Elimination regular? Yes
Do you use laxatives? No Regularly? No How many hours do you usually sleep? 7 hours
5. What exercise do you get? swimming, weight lifting, hiking
6. Date of last vaccinations: Smallpox 1965 Typhoid 1965 Tetanus toxoid 1965
7. Have you been immunized against polio? Yes Booster (#4) When? 1965
8. Have you had any surgical operation? No Describe None
9. Any accidents or physical injuries? No Describe None
10. Were you examined for military service in the Armed Forces of the United States? Yes
Accepted? Yes Rejected? - Reason: -
11. Do you have a medical or disability discharge? No Describe disability None
Reason - Date - Branch of service Army N. G.
12. When did you last consult a physician for an illness? 2/66 Describe nature of same Sore throat
When did you last visit a dentist? 1965 Wisdom tooth removal
13. Do you have: Dizzy spells No Shortness of breath No Fainting attacks No Convulsions No
Sick headaches No Swollen ankles No Foot trouble No Local pains No
14. If you have had any of the following, circle them and give approximate age or date.

Tuberculosis <u>No</u>	Stomach disease <u>No</u>	Asthma <u>No</u>	Nervous breakdown <u>No</u>
Sinus infection <u>No</u>	Pneumonia <u>No</u>	Rheumatism <u>No</u>	Appendicitis <u>No</u>
Stomach ulcer <u>No</u>	Scarlet fever <u>No</u>	Hernia-Rupture <u>No</u>	Rheumatic fever <u>No</u>
Duodenal ulcer <u>No</u>	Allergy <u>No</u>	Diabetes <u>No</u>	St. Vitus's dance <u>No</u>
Typhoid fever <u>No</u>	Diphtheria <u>No</u>	Gonorrhea <u>No</u>	Heart disease <u>No</u>
Varicose veins <u>No</u>	High blood pressure <u>No</u>	Syphilis <u>No</u>	Infantile paralysis <u>No</u>
Pleurisy <u>No</u>	Hay fever <u>No</u>	Osteomyelitis <u>No</u>	Dysentery <u>No</u>
15. Use this space for additional information concerning the above or other illnesses or disabilities:
None
16. Do you consider that you are now in sound health and without physical or mental defects? Yes
Explain exceptions None
17. I declare that the above statement is complete and correct. I will send this report directly to the Personnel Division, Boy Scouts of America, New Brunswick, N. J. 08903. I understand that this report is to be provided at my expense.

Date February 19, 1966

Signed

Gary F. Rolloff

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EXAMINATION BY PHYSICIAN

TO THE EXAMINING PHYSICIAN:

Good physical and mental health is necessary in the position for which applicant is being considered. There will be desk and contact work with irregular hours, considerable travel, and work involving emotional strain and strenuous outdoor activity.

1. HEIGHT 5 ft. 11 in. WEIGHT 207 lbs. POSTURE average
 GENERAL APPEARANCE good PERSONAL HYGIENE good
 2. EYES: Right 20/25-3 Left 20/20 Pupil reaction normal PERKCA ok
 3. EARS: Infections clear Hearing: Right ok Left ok
 4. TEETH AND GUMS Teeth fair, gums good TONSILS normal GLANDS no
 5. SKIN clear VARICOSE VEINS no
 6. FEET: Right ok Left ok HERNIA: Right no Left no
 7. GENITALS normal PILONIDAL CYST no
 8. RECTUM normal

9. HEART: Enlarged Yes no Rate 64 Murmurs no B/P 132/86
 No X Rhythm Sinus P
 10. LUNGS: Evidence of disease no
 11. EVIDENCE OF DISEASE OF LIVER, STOMACH, INTESTINES, GENITOURINARY TRACT OR ENDOCRINE GLAND DISTURBANCE none

12. SYMPTOMS: Tension no Fatigue no Stability good
 13. NEUROLOGICAL CONDITION good

14. LABORATORY TESTS: MANDATORY
 a. Urinalysis: Specific gravity 1.017 Albumin neg Sugar neg Sediment neg
 b. VDRL sent to lab - results will follow
 c. Chest X-ray normal
 d. Hemoglobin 15.0

SUMMARY OF POSITIVE FINDINGS no significant positive findings

15. HOW LONG HAVE YOU KNOWN THIS APPLICANT? 5 mos
 16. CONCLUSIONS: General health is: Excellent ✓ Good no Average no Poor no
 17. RECOMMENDATIONS: acceptable

Date 2/19/66 Signed [Signature] M.D.
 Address 545 Capitol Blvd City and Zone St Paul 55105 State Minn

RECHECK BY PHYSICIAN

I have reviewed the health history of _____ and have
 rechecked his physical condition and find that at this time he is (FIT) UNFIT
 Exceptions: _____

DATE 3/16/66 SIGNED [Signature] M.D.

8-27-64-156M

Minnesota Department of Health, Division of Medical Laboratories

University Campus, Minneapolis

Report of Serological Examinations

Lab. No.	133292	Date Rec'd	Date Reported
Patient	OCT 19 1965 - 9 AM OCT 20 1965		
Gary Ralloff			
NEGATIVE			
Kline - Blood			
V.D.R.L. - Blood	Sp. Fluid		
Kolmer - Blood	Sp. Fluid		
Colloidal Gold	Nonne		

Henry Bauer, Ph.D., Director
 (Interpretation of findings over)

Dr. Norquist

Bethesda, 559, St. Paul

